

## Exhibit B

SEP 98

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF PRISONS

TO: (Name and Title of Staff Member) Unit Manager J. L. Smith	DATE: 1/15/09
FROM: John Linch	REGISTER NO.: 45426-083
WORK ASSIGNMENT: n/a	UNIT: D

SUBJECT: (Briefly state your question or concern and the solution you are requesting. Continue on back, if necessary. Your failure to be specific may result in no action being taken. If necessary, you will be interviewed in order to successfully respond to your request.)

I am a Muslim, and my religion requires that I perform 5 daily prayers in congregation. This is mandatory and not optional. Prisoners in general population in federal prisons across the country are allowed to use a room in the chapel to pray any time they choose. Here we are not provided with a chapel, but there is a multi-purpose room which remains locked and unused most of the day. I request that you allow this room to be opened and used for the performance of my 5 daily prayers in congregation.

(Do not write below this line)

DISPOSITION:

See Response

Signature Staff Member

Date

1/20/09

Record Copy / File; Copy - Inmate  
(This form may be replicated via WP)

This form replaces BP-148.070 dated Oct 86  
and BP-S148.070 APR 94

WALKER LINDH, John  
Reg. No.: 45426-083  
CMU

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### **Inmate Request to Staff Response**

The administration is willing to provide the required time for congregational prayer on Fridays for Jumah Prayer only. Inmates may pray individually in their personal areas, but no additional congregational prayer time(s) shall be provided other than Friday's Jumah Prayer.

WALKER LINDH

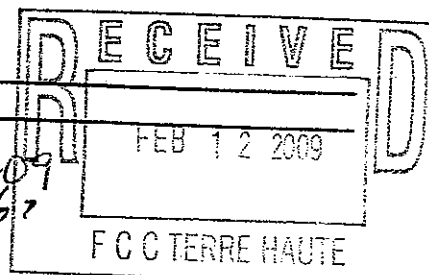
Attachment 1  
THX-1330.13JFEDERAL CORRECTIONAL COMPLEX  
TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA  
INFORMAL RESOLUTION FORMInmate Name: John Lindh Reg. No. 45426-083  
Unit: D

**NOTICE TO INMATE:** You are advised normally prior to filing a Request for Administrative Remedy, BP-2999(13), you **must** attempt to informally resolve your complaint through your Correctional Counselor. Please follow the steps listed below:

1. **State your complaint:** I am a Muslim, and my religion requires that I perform 5 daily prayers in congregations. This is mandatory and not optional. Prisoners in general population in federal prisons across the country are allowed to use a room in the chapel to pray any time they choose. Here we (see attachment,

(If more space is needed, you may use up to one letter size (8 1/2 x 11) continuation page. You must also submit one copy of supporting exhibits. (Exhibits will not be returned with the response to the BP-229(13) responses.))

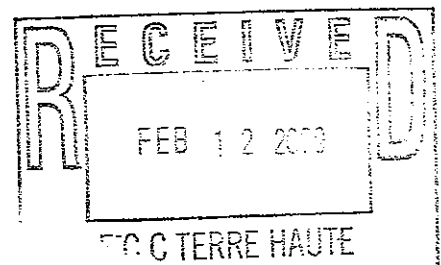
2. **State what actions you have made to informally resolve your complaint:** I have written to the unit manager requesting that he resolves this problem.
3. **State what resolution you expect:** I expect to be provided with access to the multipurpose room to perform my 5 daily prayers in congregation as required by my religion.

Inmate's Signature: John LindhDate: 1/22/09Correctional Counselor's Comments (Steps to Resolve): See attached responseCounselor's Signature: A. Huttline  
Unit Manager's Review: SR  
Informally Resolved: \_\_\_\_\_Date: 1-23-09  
Date: 1/23/09  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

	BP-8 ISSUED	BP-8 RETURNED	BP-9 ISSUED	BP-9 RETURNED
DATE	1-22-09	01-23-09	1-26-09	1-28-09
TIME	1:00pm	12:15pm	12:00	12:00
COUNSELOR	A. Huttline	A. Huttline	A. Huttline	A. Huttline

Attachment:

(continued from page 1) are not provided with a chapel, but there is a multi-purpose room which remains locked and unused most of the day. I request that ~~I be~~ allowed to use this room for the performance of my 5 daily prayers in congregation as required by my religion.



WALKER LINDH, John  
Reg. No.: 45426-083  
CMU

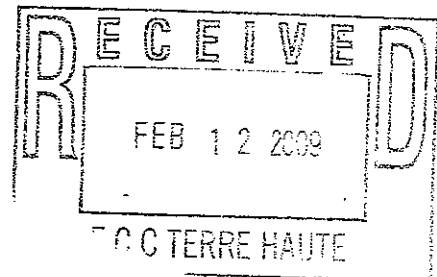
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### Informal Resolution Response

This is in response to your Request for Informal Resolution, received on January 23, 2009, wherein you request to be allowed group prayer five (5) times a day.

Per Program Statement 5360.09, Religious Beliefs and Practices, "Authorized congregate services will be made available for all inmates weekly."

The administration is willing to provide the required time for congregational prayer on Fridays for Jumah Prayer only. Inmates may pray individually in their personal areas, but no additional congregational prayer time(s) shall be provided other than Friday's Jumah Prayer.



REQUEST FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDY

Type or use ball-point pen. If attachments are needed, submit four copies. Additional instructions on reverse.

n: Lin, John P. W. 45426-083 D FBI Terre Haute  
LAST NAME, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL REG. NO. UNIT INSTITUTION

Part A- INMATE REQUEST

I am a Muslim, and my religion requires that I perform 5 daily prayers in congregation. This is mandatory and not optional. Prisoners in general population in federal prisons across the country are allowed to use a room in the chapel to pray any time they choose. Here we are not provided with a chapel, but there is a multi-purpose room which remains locked and unused most of the day. I request that I be allowed to use this room for the performance of my 5 daily prayers in congregation as required by my religion. If the prison administration can allow me to perform Jumah prayer in congregation which is mandatory, it can also allow me to perform my 5 daily prayers in congregation.

1/29/09 John Lin  
DATE SIGNATURE OF REQUESTER

Part B- RESPONSE

DATE

WARDEN OR REGIONAL DIRECTOR

If dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the Regional Director. Your appeal must be received in the Regional Office within 20 calendar days of the date of this response.

SECOND COPY: RETURN TO INMATE

CASE NUMBER: 45426-083-4

CASE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

Part C- RECEIPT

Return to: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST NAME, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL REG. NO. UNIT INSTITUTION

SUBJECT: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE

RECIPIENT'S SIGNATURE (STAFF MEMBER)

**PART B - RESPONSE**

This is in response to your Administrative Remedy receipted on February 12, 2009, in which you request to have additional congregational prayer five (5) times a day in the Communication Management Unit (CMU).

A review of your request indicates the administration provides the required time for congregational prayer on Fridays for Jumah Prayer only. According to Program Statement 5360.09, Religious Beliefs and Practices, "Authorized congregate services will be made available for all inmates weekly."

Inmates may pray individually in their personal area, but no additional congregational prayer time(s) shall be provided other than Friday Jumah Prayer.

Therefore, your request for Administrative Remedy is denied.

If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the Regional Director, Federal Bureau of Prisons, Gateway Complex, Tower II, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, 4<sup>th</sup> & State Ave., Kansas City, Kansas 66101. Your appeal must be received within 20 calendar days of the date of this response.

2-20-09

Date

Wendell Jett

W.R. Jett, Warden



Federal Bureau of Prisons

Type or use ball-point pen. If attachments are needed, submit four copies. One copy of the completed BP-229(13) including any attachments must be submitted with this appeal.

n: Linder, John P.W. 45426-083 D-33 FBI Tennessee  
LAST NAME, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL REG. NO. UNIT INSTITUTION

## Part A - REASON FOR APPEAL

I am a Muslim, and my religion requires that I perform 5 daily prayers in congregation. This is mandatory and not optional. Prisoners in general population in federal prisons across the country are allowed to use a room in the chapel to pray any time they choose. Here we are not provided with a chapel, but there is a multi-purpose room which remains locked and unused most of the day. I request that I be allowed to use this room for the performance of my 5 daily prayers in congregation as required by my religion. If the prison administration can allow me to perform my 5 daily prayers in congregation, it can also allow me to perform my 5 daily prayers in congregation.

DATE

SIGNATURE OF REQUESTER

## Part B - RESPONSE

DATE

REGIONAL DIRECTOR

If dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the General Counsel. Your appeal must be received in the General Counsel's Office within 30 calendar days of the date of this response.

SECOND COPY: RETURN TO INMATE

CASE NUMBER: 50600-083

## Part C - RECEIPT

CASE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

Return to: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST NAME, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL REG. NO. UNIT INSTITUTION

SUBJECT: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE

SIGNATURE, RECIPIENT OF REGIONAL APPEAL

U.S. Department of Justice  
Federal Bureau of Prisons  
North Central Regional Office

Regional Administrative Remedy Appeal  
Part B - Response

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Administrative Remedy Number: 526006-R1

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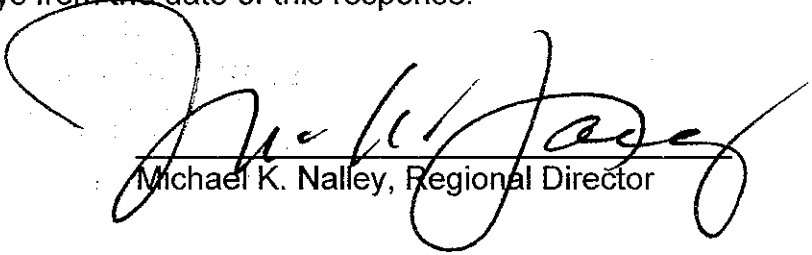
This is in response to your Regional Administrative Remedy Appeal received in this office on March 6, 2009, in which you allege you are not allowed to participate in five daily congregate prayers. Specifically, you allege there is a multi-purpose room on the Communications Management Unit (CMU) unused most of the day which could be used for the five daily congregate prayers. You are requesting the use of the multi-purpose room to accommodate your five daily congregate prayers.

We have reviewed your appeal and the response the Warden provided to your BP-229. You were advised Program Statement 5360.09, Religious Beliefs and Practices, allows for congregate services for all inmates once a week. Therefore, you are allowed to participate in congregate prayer during Friday Jumah Prayer services. All other required daily prayers should be accommodated individually in your cell.

Based on the above information, your Regional Administrative Remedy Appeal is denied.

If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the Office of General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Prisons, 320 First Street, NW, Washington, DC 20534. Your appeal must be received in the Office of General Counsel within 30 days from the date of this response.

Date

3/20/09  
  
Michael K. Nalley, Regional Director

Federal Bureau of Prisons

Type or use ball-point pen. If attachments are needed, submit four copies. One copy each of the completed BP-229(13) and BP-230(13), including any attachments must be submitted with this appeal.

From: Lindh, John P. W. 45426-083 D FCI Terre Haute  
LAST NAME, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL REG. NO. UNIT INSTITUTION

## Part A - REASON FOR APPEAL

I am a Muslim, and my religion requires that I perform 5 daily prayers in congregation. This is mandatory and not optional. Prisoners in general population in federal prisons across the country are allowed to use a room in the chapel to pray any time they choose. Here we are not provided with a chapel, but there is a multi-purpose room which remains locked and unused most of the day. I request that I be allowed to use this room for the performance of my 5 daily prayers in congregation as required by my religion. If the prison administration can allow me to perform Jumu'ah prayer in congregation, it can also allow me to perform my 5 daily prayers in congregation.

DATE

SIGNATURE OF REQUESTER

## Part B - RESPONSE

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Federal Bureau of Prisons

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GENERAL COUNSEL

ORIGINAL: RETURN TO INMATE

CASE NUMBER:

526006-A2

Part C - RECEIPT

CASE NUMBER:

Return to:

LAST NAME, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL

REG. NO.

UNIT

INSTITUTION

SUBJECT:

DATE

SIGNATURE OF RECIPIENT OF CENTRAL OFFICE APPEAL

Administrative Remedy No. 526006-A2  
Part B - Response

This is in response to your Central Office Administrative Remedy Appeal in which you request to participate in five daily congregate prayers. You state there is a multi-purpose room in the Communications Management Unit unused most of the day which could be used for the five daily congregate prayers. You request use of the multi-purpose room to accommodate your five daily congregate prayers.

Our review reveals that the Warden and Regional Director adequately responded to the issues you raised in your appeal. P.S. 5360.09, Religious Beliefs and Practices, states the Bureau of Prisons provides inmates of all faith groups with reasonable and equitable opportunities to pursue religious beliefs and practices, consistent with the security and orderly running of the institution and the Bureau of Prisons. Congregate prayer is not allowed for any faith group due to security concerns. You are allowed to participate in congregate prayer during the Friday Jumah Prayer services. Inmates are permitted to conduct religious prayer in their assigned cell anytime each day as long as they are not disrupting their unit.

Staff are working diligently to ensure your ability to adhere to the tenets of your faith are upheld and facilitated to the maximum extent possible, and in a manner consistent with P.S. 5360.09, Religious Beliefs and Practices, and institution safety and security.

Therefore, we concur with the responses provided. Accordingly, your appeal is denied.

July 28, 2009  
Date

Harrell Watts, Administrator  
National Inmate Appeals